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| Young Jin OH et al. |) |
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| Filed: March 28, 2000 |) Examiner: Unassigned |
| For: A LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY DEVICE - |)) |
| Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231 | |
| Sir: | |
| INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT | |

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97(b), Applicants bring to the attention of the Examiner the documents listed on the attached PTO-1449. This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed within three months of the filing date of the above-referenced continuation application, which is concurrently being filed herewith. Accordingly, Applicants

does not believe that a fee is due for filing this paper.

UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b)

The listed documents were previously cited in the instant application's copending parent Application No. 08/934,770, filed on September 22, 1997. Thus, under 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(d), copies of the listed documents are not required to be provided. Applicants do submit a copy of Japanese Application No. 9-105918 (with English translation of abstract and claims)

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concurrently herewith because only claims, abstract, and a figure of this reference were

previously cited by the Examiner in the prior parent Application No. 08/934,770

Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner consider the listed documents and

evidence that consideration of relevant portions thereof by making appropriate notations on the

attached PTO 1449 form.

This submission does not represent that a search has been made or that no better art exists

and does not constitute an admission that each or all of the listed documents are material or

constitute "Prior Art." If it should be determined that any of the listed documents do not

constitute "Prior Art" under United States law, Applicants reserve the right to present to the

Office the relevant facts and law regarding the appropriate status of such document.

Applicants further reserve the right to take appropriate action to establish the patentability

of the disclosed invention over the listed documents, should one or more of the documents be

applied against the claims of the present application.

If there is any fee due in connection with the filing of this Information Disclosure

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Respectfully submitted,

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